

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to update the status of Patent Application No. 09/579,951 and to correct an inadvertent error on the relationship between U.S. Patent Application No. 09/579,951 and U.S. Patent Application No. 09/570,091. Applicant believes that no new matter has been added by the amendment.

Conclusion

Applicant respectfully submits that the claims are in condition for allowance and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's attorney at (612) 373-6965 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

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